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From: Schmittdiel, Paula

Sent: Tue 10/21/2014 5:50:54 PM Subject: RE: Oct ARSG Meeting

Peter – As for dates in November, I will not be available on Monday, Nov. 3rd and none of the federal personnel will be available on Tuesday, Nov. 11th as that is Veteran's Day. I will likely want to call in for this discussion – again, my offer stands if you need a toll-free conference line. Just let me know.

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From: Peter Butler [mailto:butlerpeter2@gmail.com] Sent: Monday, October 20, 2014 8:55 PM To: Peter Butler Subject: Oct ARSG Meeting Dear Stakeholders – We've decided that we don't have enough to discuss to hold a regular ARSG meeting in October. However, we would like to have a technical workgroup meeting sometime during the first two weeks of November. It will be held at the Public Lands Center in Durango, and there will be a conference phone. Topics will include: Reviewing metal loading data that we have from the Animas watershed above Silverton (tracer studies, sampling of draining mines, waste dumps, etc.) Discussing ARSG priority sites for remediation outside of the Gladstone area, especially those on BLM land. Updates on InnoCentive ideas and the possibility of pilot testing. We will try to pick a date in November in the next few days, so if you have any strong preferences, please let me know. I have also attached an updated Timeline. The opening of the Gold King will not happen this fall, EPA had some corrections regarding the wording of the risk assessment description, and I've added dates for the next Colorado Water Quality Commission Hearings regarding our basin. Peter Butler

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